



May 2008

## Summer Fun for the Whole Family

Grab a blanket or a lawn chair and enjoy an outdoor concert, a movie in the park, fireworks or the Downtown Street Dance.



## THURSDAY NIGHT CONCERT SERIES

Olde City Park • 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

June 12	Kraig Parker Ultimate Elvis Tribute
June 19	Searching for a Star Finals
July 17	The Vegas Stars
July 31	Professor D and the Playschool
August 7	Hard Nights Day (Beatles Cover Band)
August 14	Brave Combo

## Independence Day Fireworks Spectacular

Thursday, July 3  
9:30 p.m.  
Founders Park



## Downtown Wylie Street Dance

Featuring Brent Frailicks

Friday, July 11 • Ballard Street • 8 pm-10 pm



## FRIDAY FAMILY MOVIE NIGHTS

Olde City Park • 9:30 pm

June 27 **SHREK THE THIRD**

July 25 **BEE MOVIE**



Online @ [WylieTexas.gov](http://WylieTexas.gov)

### Severe Weather Awareness--Be Prepared

Outdoor emergency sirens are not designed to be heard when indoors, sleeping, or in places with loud, ambient noise. Wylie Fire Rescue encourages all residents to purchase and use an automatic weather alert radio. Weather permitting, outdoor sirens are tested the first Wednesday of each month at 1 pm.

### Boards and Commissions Application Deadline May 30

Get involved in your community? The Wylie City Council is currently accepting applications to fill expiring or vacant terms on city boards and commissions. Apply online. From the homepage click *City Hall* then *Boards & Commissions*, select *Volunteer Form*. A three member panel of Councilmembers will interview new applicants in June prior to making nominations for appointments.

### Search Historical Records Online

Check out the important issues of the day. In 1912 a motion carried that each member of the fire company be paid the sum of \$.50 per month for his services, payable quarterly. Searchable records include: Council Meeting minutes, 1904 to present; Ordinances, 1911 to present; and Resolutions, 1955 to present. From the homepage click on *City Hall* then *Search City Records*.

### City Council Meeting Packets Online

Did you know that citizens have access to the same information Councilmembers receive to prepare for Council Meetings? The complete Council packet is posted at [WylieTexas.gov](http://WylieTexas.gov) the Friday before regularly scheduled meetings. Information includes: staff reports and presentations, exhibits, background information and proposed ordinances. From the homepage click *City Hall* then *Agendas & Minutes*, select *City Council*.

## Woodbridge Crossing Groundbreaking

On Wednesday, April 30, more than 350 people celebrated the groundbreaking of Woodbridge Crossing. Highlighted by a Super Target, the 575,000 square foot retail development located at the southeast corner of FM 544 and McCreary Road on 64.5 acres, is scheduled to be completed next summer.

Wylie City Councilmembers and Direct Development representatives take part in the groundbreaking ceremony.



More than 350 citizens gathered for the Woodbridge Crossing Groundbreaking festivities.

Troy Aikman, Principal for Direct Development, signs the shirt of a young fan as Councilmember David Goss looks on.



State Representative Jody Laubenberg addresses the crowd on the benefits of public/private partnerships for Economic Development.



# Coming Summer 2009



Woodbridge Crossing

# Summer Reading Club

## Smith Public Library

### June 4 - July 31

Earn prizes, discover new books, and most of all, have fun reading all summer long.

- Children, Teen and Adult Reading Clubs
- Weekly Children & Teen Programs

**Pickup your Reading Logs Beginning June 4**

**Kick-off Event June 6, 9 am**

Join us from 9 am to noon for air brush tattoos, a bounce house, music and a petting zoo.

**Details at [www.wylietexas.gov/library](http://www.wylietexas.gov/library)**

**972-442-7566**

## Fun & Learning

### Rita & Truett Smith Public Library

800 Thomas Street - 972-442-7566

**BeTween Book & Movie Club, May 29, 6 pm - 7 pm**

4th and 5th graders are invited to discuss *Charlotte's Web* by E.B. White. Enjoy scenes from the movie and snacks.

**Storytime, Wednesday, June 11, 9 am**

Birth to 5 years

Join us for books, flannel stories, fingerplays, songs and crafts.

**Wagging Tales, June 5 & 19, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm**

Practice reading aloud to Abby the Collie. Tickets are required and will be distributed on a first come first served basis the evening of the program.

**Scholastic Book Fair, June 9-11, During Regular Hours**

**Fourth Monday Book Club & Summer Movie Club,  
June 23, 6:30 pm - 8 pm**

Adults 18 and up are invited to watch *Rebecca* by Daphne du Maurier and take part in a discussion of the book and movie.

### Bart Peddicord Community Center

100 West Oak Street - 972-442-8119

**Senior Center Activities, Mon - Fri, 9 am - 3 pm**

Join area seniors for cards, dominos, bingo, exercise and fun special events. Call 972-442-2841 for more information.

### Recreation & Sports Activities

[www.wylietexas.gov/sports](http://www.wylietexas.gov/sports)